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PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A two (2) month extension of time, to and including June 2, 2004, is requested for response to the Patent Office Communication of January 2, 2004. This extension is being filed to for the purpose of filing a Request to Correct Inventorship in this application – submitted herewith - and to create copendency between this application and a continuing application filed, under separate cover, on May 13, 2004.

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